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Father: Thomas Cox	
Mother: Ann Cox	
Children:	
first Sarah Briant Cox	
James Cox	
first Ellen Cox	
Mary Ann Cox	
John Cox	
Hannah Cox	
Lucy Cox	
Jane Cox	
Ellen Cox	
Alice Cox	
Sarah Cox	

INSTRUCTIONS

This form of record has been prepared for the use of members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, as a suitable medium for concisely recording the most important events and dates in the history of families and individuals who are, or were, members of that Church.

Enter family groups in the index, the children in the order of birth. Two or more small families may be entered on one page of the index, leaving a line blank between each family. *Maiden name of mother (wife) should always be given.*

It is recommended that the family groups commence with the eldest of the line, who were members of the Church in life, and that the others follow in order of seniority.

The historical events in the life of each individual are to be entered on the page of the record stated in the index. In addition to the events for which the side headings are printed, other important occurrences should be recorded, such as other ordinations, missions, official appointments, etc. Prominent characteristics might be briefly described.

Married individuals whose names appear in the family groups as children, and also in another part of the record as parents, should be distinguished by a mark (X) appended to their names in the index.

If a man has more than one family, each family should appear as a separate group in the index.

The blank pages at the end of this book are provided for the purpose of inserting statements of importance in connection with the *family* history.

If the number of pages in this book are insufficient for recording all the families and individuals in the lines that the owner of the record desires to include, additional books can be obtained in which to continue such recording.

It is suggested that a member of the family be appointed historian to make the necessary entries in this record, and he, or she, should be given all data requisite for the purpose.

The foregoing instructions are to be regarded as merely suggestive; the owner of the record may, of course, follow any arrangement that will be most satisfactory to him, and include any families or individuals he desires to appear in the compilation.

In addition to the use of this record for individuals who were members of the Church in life, it is advised that the eldest representative of each family line obtain a record book in which to enter Temple ordinances performed in behalf of the dead, and that that sacred labor be faithfully prosecuted. Suitable blank record books for that purpose, can be obtained at the Deseret News Book Store.